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The Bootleggers Music Group Announces Its Latest Single "One Bad Day Away"

The prolific and inspirational music group's recent release calls for compassion and humanity during the holiday season.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, US, December 9, 2022 – <u>The Bootleggers Music Group</u> is pleased to announce the release of their newest single, <u>"One Bad Day Away,"</u> which was released in December 2022. The song appeals to the heart of us all to remember that the world's growing number of unhoused people are no different from ourselves and that we're all just "one bad day away" from finding ourselves in their worn-out shoes.

"One Bad Day Away" was written by Paul E Jones after sitting with some homeless folks and listening to their stories in Nashville last year, as he regularly does on the road, and the song was brought home after befriending a local homeless artist, Stephen, in his hometown. Stephen is now an integral part of the Bootleggers Music Group collective, and you can read about him and his craftsmanship here.

In the vein of Blues-influenced Americana, this song is a meaningful contribution from the Bootleggers Music group, a global collective of writers, producers, musicians and artists. Their mission is to bring as many people as possible from *all* walks of life together through music to make leaps and bounds toward creating a more loving and caring world.

It's important to remember that the Christmas holiday season is not about consumerism but about extending love and support to our fellow man. As "One Bad Day Away" reminds us:

"Yeah we call them homeless they were once just like us We're all one bad day away from sleeping on a stone Yeah, we call them homeless let's not make them hopeless."

The Bootleggers Music Group's <u>"One Bad Day Away,"</u> is now available for download on Spotify. The band also encourages fans to listen to their music by downloading their free app from Google Play or the App Store.

About The Bootleggers Music Group

<u>The Bootlegger's Music Group</u> is an international collective of musicians, artists, producers, composers and writers. We like to say we exist in an "eighth continent" of sorts — a land that knows no borders, ownership, or division but is simply united in the belief that music is love, and love nourishes all beings. Soul is our currency: more valuable than any amount of money or prestige, whether you're rich or poor we're here to share the wealth one tune at a time.

Our mission is to bring as many people as possible from all walks of life together to make leaps and bounds toward creating a more loving and caring world. Our musical output is multi-genre and as an entity it defies definition — whether it be Americana, blues, jazz, rap, Christian rock, or classic rock, we are here to distribute the goods.

We understand music to be a unifying force and a universal language. Music is of the spirit transmuted through the body; the body translates energy through the instrument, and the instrument emits vibrations — vibrations that are frequencies — frequencies that are the

language of God. As a collective, we boundlessly channel this sacred language that — unlike anything else — has the power to elevate, inspire, console and reach the most hidden and unspoken aspects of any being's soul.

Just as the group's output is diverse in taste and style so too is our growing community; we take immense joy in creation in all its forms, believing that God is in everyone and everything. A jazz lover may find us, and through us discover some Christian Rock they like, or a Christian may find us and discover a love for jazz. Our output is prolific, and our inspiration is infinite.

Though many of the group members are of the Christian Faith and we produce a lot of distinctly Christian music, we do not have a religious conversion agenda. What is most important to us is to bring people together in the belief in the transformative power of music. One of our latest releases, "Jesus Is To Be Praised," was translated into seven different languages (English, Spanish, French, Italian, Serbian, Turkish and Hebrew) and produced on seven continents in which musicians of various religions collaborated. Now that is a testament to the power of music, the "eighth continent" where peace and joy are the common ground.

Just as we know that music heals, we know very well how much our global family suffers silently from mental health, an ongoing pandemic in its own right. One of our founding members - musician and long-time comedian Paul E Jones - is no stranger to the agony of mental affliction and has been touring with the mission to educate as many people as possible on the topic of suicide prevention. To this end, he has created, "Music, Mental Health & Motivation," an inspiring program and presentation that combines personal stories, music and comedy to bring awareness to the difference between mental health and mental illness in order to undo the unnecessary stigma around the topic. Paul has been doing suicide Prevention and Mental Health speaking for over 20 years. He has lectured and performed his program before over 3 million people. Those interested in booking the program should contact Paul E Jones right away, as the available touring dates are limited. Happy to speak at any institution - schools, churches, companies or private gatherings - you can book Paul to speak by contacting the group at: bootleggersmusicgroup@gmail.com.

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invite your friends to our page or use your social media of choice to share the music: Spotify Pandora Itunes Apple Music. We are here to collaborate and happy to play at your events or create and produce new music together — simply ask and you shall receive. The Bootlegger's Music Group is fueled by the love of God, one tune at a time.

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